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Re: Chemical Recovery Systems Site - Elyria, Ohio

Dear Tom:

This will confirm our telephone conversation of Friday, March 9, 2001 concerning an extension of time to respond to USEPA's General Notice of Potential Liability directed to Taylor Metals. Taylor Metals' response will be due on or before March 20, 2001.

I look forward to working with you on this matter and I hope you got some sleep over the weekend.

Very truly yours,

Scott M. Doran

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